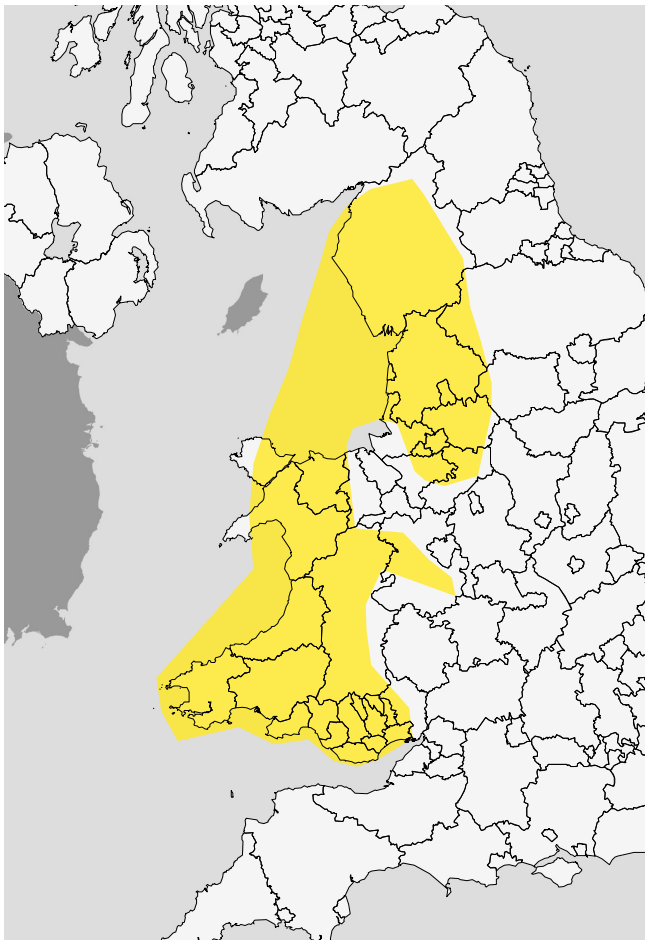
Yellow warning
Rain

Between
09:00 Thu 29 Oct 2020 and
23:59 Fri 30 Oct 2020



Periods of heavy rain may lead to flooding and disruption to transport.

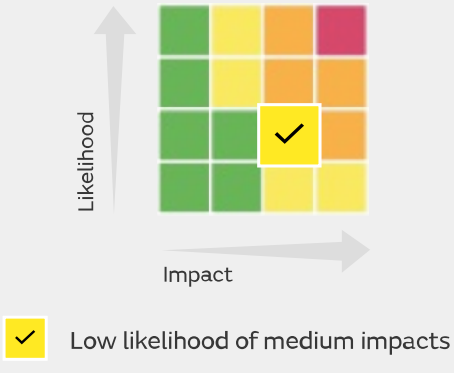
What to expect

- Homes and businesses could be flooded, causing damage to some buildings
- Fast flowing or deep floodwater is possible, causing a danger to life
- Delays or cancellations to train and bus services are possible
- Spray and flooding could lead to difficult driving conditions and some road closures
- Some communities may be cut off by flooded roads
- Possible power cuts and loss of other services to some homes and businesses

Further details

Periods of heavy rain are expected to develop across Wales and northwest England during Thursday and Friday.

Accumulations of 30-40 mm can be expected widely, whilst areas of higher ground exposed to the strong to gale force southwesterly winds are likely to see 50-80 mm. The heaviest rainfall is expected to be across the hills and mountains of northwest Wales and Cumbria where 100-150 mm of rainfall is possible by the end of Friday.



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Further Details (continued)

Given the time of year the strong winds and rainfall are likely to lead to enhanced leaf fall which may result in additional surface water flooding due to the blocking of drainage channels.

Reason for update

The warning start time has been brought forward to 0900 Thursday, while the area has been extended to cover more of south Wales and also parts of Cheshire.

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All regions & authorities affected

North West England

Blackburn with Darwen Blackpool Cheshire East Cheshire West and Chester Cumbria Greater Manchester Halton Lancashire Merseyside Warrington

Wales

Blaenau Gwent Bridgend Caerphilly Cardiff Carmarthenshire Ceredigion Conwy Denbighshire Gwynedd Isle of Anglesey Merthyr Tydfil Monmouthshire Neath Port Talbot Newport Pembrokeshire Powys Rhondda Cynon Taf Swansea Torfaen Vale of Glamorgan

West Midlands

Shropshire

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